

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Kroswek et al. Confirmation No.: 6569  
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CHAIN MANAGEMENT

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This responds to the Office communication mailed July 21, 2008 in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this paper.